LET PATRIOTS BE ON GUARD.

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Issues of this Campaign Ably Set Forth by Hon. J. Taylor Ellyson, Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee-The Situation in All of the Districts-The Candidates Hard at Work-Those Who Direct Affairs.

Every Democrat Should be a Campaign Committee of One.

IN DEFENCE OF THE STATE American institutions.

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By a Solid Phalanx of Patriots state Democratic Committee, after a careof the Commonwealth.

Harmony and Enthusiasm Auguries of Victory-

Danger of Over-Confidence.

Two weeks from to-day ten Congressmen In every district is a Democratic stand-

ard-bearer. In every district Democracy is well organized. In every district is a strong determination to elect the Democratic can

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return to the Fifty-second Congress a d phalanx of ten true Democrats. They e men. Here are their names: FIRST DISTRICT-W. A. JONES. SECOND DEISTICT-DR. JOHN W. LAW-

NINTH DISTRICT—JOHN A. HUCHANAN.
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While in some of the districts the result is known absolutely, in other districts radicalism or independentism is hard at work to defeat the Democratic candidates. But even in these districts signs are hepeful: by the commingling of white men's blood and black men's blood our country shall be the grandest and our Government the greatest and most lasting the world has even wheat, and it is seen or ever will see."

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A SOVEREIGN DUTY.

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court-day or at barbecues and hearing ringing speeches by distinguished speakers of
Virginia and other States. There should be Virginia and other States. There should be a house-to-house canvass. Every Democrat should constitute himself a committee of one to carry on a vigorous campaign during the next two weeks. Let him see his neighbors, impress upon them the facts that at this juncture, if never before, any-

THE VIRGINIA CAMPAIGN.

Congress, unless he is a member of that party against which the Inquitous Force bill is aimed. It is aimed at that party because Democracy has been the unswerving enemy for a century nearly of the principles now embodied in the Republican party. One after another the predecessors of radicalism have been shattered by Democracy. Republicanism is the worst form and most malignant type of the manifestations inimical to the Constitution of the United States. Though defeated now and then by force of arms, by the use of unstituted monoracy still stands forth conspicuous as the defender of stands for the constitutions and the first that party against which the Inquitous Force of the bill is declares that the party against which the Inquitous Force of the party against which the Inquitous Force of the Chairman party against which the Inquitous Force of the Chairman party against which the Inquitous Force of the Chairman party against which the Inquitous Force of the Chairman party against which the Inquitous Force of the Chairman party against which the Inquitous Force of the United States are to debauch the public morals. But it was to debauch the public morals. But it was coursement of combinations. If you become each of the Inquitous Force are to the intervent will refer that the numarisations to limit the output of an article and raise its price, voltage and the United States are included in the the intervent will remain from forming combinations. It you to an article and raise its price, which and the United States are inelligable, and not to the united States are included in the numarison appears its price, voltage and forters.

PASSED FOR PARTY PURPOSES.

The M'KINLEY BILL.

One of the most prominent measure by other instruments of fraud, Democracy still stands fo



HEADQUARTERS VIRGINIA STATE / RICHMOND, VA., October 18, 1890, To the Voters of Virginia:

On the 4th day of November next you will FOURTH DISTRICT—JAMES F, EPES.
FUTH DISTRICT—POSEY G, LESTER.
SIXTH DISTRICT—PAUL C, EDMUNDS.
SEVENTH DISTRICT—COLONEL CHARLES

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other countries, and yet was conged to only his farming implements, wearing apparel, and household goods at the increased prices charged by the pretested home manufacturers. It was not iong before he had a feeling of contempt for and indignation at the present bill, when he realized that, under the pretence of affording protection to the farmer, it puts a tariff tax on wheat and corn imported into this country, although statistics show that less than twenty-five hundred bushels of eorn were imported, and more than forty-six million bushels of wheat, and about sixty-nine million bushels of wheat, and about sixty-nine million bushels of orn were exported. Truly the present secretary of State and great apossle of protection, Hon. James G. Blaine, succenctly exposed the farce when he declared there is not a section or a line in the entire till that will open a market for another loaded of wheat, or another barrel of pork. bill that will open a market for another bushel of wheat or another barrel of pork." Yet Republican reflection upon the common sense of the farmers did not stop here, but culminated in imposing a tariff on straw and "teasles."

Nor have the mechanics and laborers been less quick than the farmers in penetrating the deception attempted to be practiced on them. They soon saw that the promised "handsome wages" were a myth. They saw that the manufacturers who were resaw that the manufacturers who were receiving large benefits from the high protective tariff did not besitate, when it could be
safely done, to make a "cut" in the wages
of their employes or bring about a "lockont," or "shut-down," thus limiting stock
and keeping up prices, while labor was suffering. They noticed that the manufacturers were living luxuriously and accumulating large fortunes, and that though the
products of so-called pauper labor were excluded from the country, pauper labor itself
was being introduced, and it took no supernatural accumen to discern that it strength of their labor organizations, and the demand for their labor. They know that the wages they receive for making the articles of their handlwork do not in any instance even approach the amount charged by the tariff on similar articles brought from abroad. They know that the far larger proportion of the increased prices a rising from the tariff tax goes into the pockets of their employers.

that at this juncture, if never before, anything opposed to Democracy is Radicalism, and that after all the speech-making and canvassing the ballot is the deciding thing, and that it is absolutely necessary for every dever of Virginia to exercise his right of suffrage by casting a vote for Democracy. The actions of the four Radicals who have occupied seats in Congress from Virginia any possibility of their being again permitting any possibility of their being again permitted to occupy such a position.

The Issue is the same as The Times has enumerated time and again. It may be repeated.

The man who at this juncture votes in Virginia for anybody but a Democrat proclaims himself an enemy to his own people and to the liberties of America. By his act her work has a state of the republic, and, assurance of the proservation of the foundations of repeated.

Let it be remembered that because the coming Congressional election occurs between the coming Congressional election occurs between Presidual elections the result its author decaying of the polling of a full will less force. The situation and conditions confute it and eliminate from it even with less force. The situation and conditions confute it and eliminate from it even with less force. The situation and conditions confute it and eliminate from it even with less force. The situation and conditions confute it and eliminate from it even with less force. The situation and conditions confute it and eliminate from it even with less force. The situation and conditions confute it and eliminate from it even with less force. The situation and conditions confute it and eliminate from it even with less force. The situation and conditions confute it and eliminate from it even with less force. The situation and conditions confute it and eliminate from it even with less force. The situation and conditions confute it and eliminate from it even with the reminited to occupy with a position.

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Against the Radical Force bill, conceived in sectionalism, blind hatred, and despair, the Democratic party must offer an unbroken line of opposition.

A STIRRING ADDRESS.

Hon. J. Taylor Ellyson on the Issues of the Campaign.

Mayor J. Taylor Ellyson, chairman of the State Democratic Committee, after a careful study of the situation by personal observation and from reports made to him from all parts of the State, issued yesterday a stirring address to the voters of Virginia. No one doubts the Keen political instinct of Mayor Ellyson. He is an untirity worker, ever watchful, ever alert, and his words which are published in full below, will command the attention of every true virginian and bear fruit and the campaign now drawing to a close.

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the more intelligent of the Republican before intelligent of the Republican before intelligent of the Republican beaders had the temerity to urge for advocating high tariff charges or taxes was that they were rendered necessary by the needs of the late war. Yet during a quarter of accountry of peace these taxes have been maintained, although they hear so heavily on articles of clothing, household necessities and emolements of labor. The poor have been rade poorer by Republican encouragement of home manufacturers to charge high prices, while the rich have had their substance increased by the removal of the tax on incomes, on the capital of corporations and on the receipts of railroads. Up to the time of offering the Tariff bill just passed excuses as ingenious as they were varied had been advanced for maintaining the previous high tariff charges or taxes. The first was necessity for "fostering infant industries." Then an effort was made to cajole the farmers by the argument that high tariff was essential in order to give the farmers a home market by building up home manufactories. Next the advocates of high tariff was essential in order to give the mechanics and laboring classes of the country, and piped the would-de seductive lay that the burden their party had imposed was necessary in order to give the mechanics and laboring classes of the country, and piped the would-de seductive lay that the burden their party had imposed was necessary in order to give the mechanics and home market by building up home manufactories. Next the advocates of high tariff turned their voices to the mechanics and habories a home market by building the protective tariff the had to competition with the pauper labor of other countries.

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"chief supervisors" and their assistants, and the control of the host of deputy United States marshals, that the exigencies of the situation might demand for the purpose of terrorizing the people, thwarting their sovereign will and ensuring a solid Republican majority in the House of Representatives. Judge Bond's jurisdiction extends over Virginia, Maryland, West Virginia, North Carolina, and South Carolina. As Virginia is entitled to ten representatives, Maryland to six, West Virginia to four, North Carolina to nine, and South Carolina to seven, this man would have it within his power to elect thrity-six Congressmen. What a spectable! is, West Virginia to four, North Carolina to nine, and South Carolina to seven, this man would have it within his power to elect thirty-six Congressmen. What a spectable is man would have it within his power to elect thirty-six Congressmen. What a spectable is mitted to exercise their prerogatives, not by the voice of the people be indifferent to this unparalleled outrage; Let them remember that time alone prevented the passage of the bill by the Senate also, and that escape from the curse must be depend on their own energies. Let them consider that should they fail to protest be discounted in the party of rule or ruin will be stimulated to go, if possible, to even greater lengths in their unconstitutional surpations. Should the party in power be encouraged to take charge of the election of the inves, how long would it be before the would take charge of the election of the members of the United States Senate? One act would be as constitutional as the other. How long would it be before the greater outrages than those noted, the such a thing could be conceived. The onit of the inght, and point the party of recently imprish his lips upon hers, thus committing assault and battery and grievously injuring her fair fame in the community; for all of which she prays that the said defendant may be compelled to pay her the such as third would be conceived. The onit of the inght, and point the path of duty. The conceived the protection against these outrages is the voice of the people at the coming election.

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Thus does the Force bill, with its train of evils, bring up the paramount issue of the fight, and point the path of duty. The pending for the people at the coming election.

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tion to rob the people of their rights and corrupt and degrade the judiciary. ROBBING VIRGINIA. Still another iniquitous measure of the Republican party contemplates robbing Virginia of one of her Congressmen. The State is now entitled to ten Congressmen. State is now entitled to ten Congressmen.
By this measure it is proposed to allot to each State the number of Congressmen to which it shall be entitled for the next ten years under the new census. By the proposed ratio Virginia would be entitled to nime Congressmen, with a fractional excess of 80,007 inhabitants. Under the same ratio Michigan, which has now eleven Congressmen, would be entitled to that number, with a fractional excess of 71,150 inhabitants. But as Michigan is a Republican State, and Virginia a Democratic State, it is designed to give the former an additional Congressman for her fractional excess and rob the latter of one. Yet, what else could be expected of a party that stole one Fresident, bought another, and lately filched Montana of her two United States Senators?

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We might multiply ad infinitum the iniquities and evidences of treachery of the Republican party. Their course on the internal revenue question, the Blair bill, the silver question, and in the matter of the expenditure of the public funds, is in bold and shameless violation of their most solemn pledges made to the people in their state and national platforms, and constitute a terrible arraignment of their leaders. But tenough has been said to cause the people to rise in their might and give impetus to a movement that shall end in sweeping that party from power forever, in vindicating the cause of self-government and American manhood, and in restoring to its pristine purity and beauty the descerated temple of liberty.

WORK FOR SUCCESS.

And how can that be accomplished? The answer is simple: The means are simple, and are in your own hands: Work for Democratic success. Encourage others to work. Organize. Take nothing for granted. Aid those who are willing. Shake of apathy. Arouse the indifferent. Act as if the fate of the State and nation depended upon your individual vote and exertions. Every memory of the past; every consideration of the present; every hope of the future conjures you to perform this duty. Perform it, and all will be well. Neglect it, and the dire consequences may be irretrievable.

From those of our fellow-citizens who, coming among us from other States, have made their homes with us and are interested in all that concerns the welfare of Virginia, we merely ask calm consideration of the facts we have stated, trusting and believing that such consideration will result in

ing that such consideration will result in hearty co-operation with us in the cause of good government, peace and prosperity. Do not vote against us because heretofore you have been a Republican. In this elec-tion you will have no opportunity to vote for the Republican principles advocated by a Lincoln a Sumper or a Greeley. Weigh affect you as much as they do any Democrat in Virginia. Do not let past party affiliations swerve you from recognizing that the future of Virginia, and therefore your own future, depends upon the maintenance of the rights of self-government. Do not by your vote attempt to fasten upon yourselves as well as upon us the mainfold evils that would flow from the establishment of a judicial oligarchy. We hope to welcome your assistance in our efforts to deteat measurers so injurious to our individual prosperity, so detrimental to our common country, so violative of our flowties.

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Let each and all of us—those to th Let each and all of us—those to the manor born and those who have recently moved to the State—remember that this is not a light of party against party, but of the people against power, and let our effort be worthy of the cause.

J. TAYLOR ELLYSON, Chairman State Democratic Committee.

LET EVERY MAN REGISTER.

The manager of the Democratic head-

THE STANDARD-BEARERS. THEY HAVE TO BEAR THE BRUNT

OF THE BATTLE. But Their Fight is for Their State and Putriots Support Them-The Condition

earers of Democracy in this fight have to bear the brunt of the battle. Their fight, though, is for their State, and they have the

This is no mere fight between two rival political parties for the honors attaching to Congressional service. It is a question of honesty, truth, and home government. Let

William A. Jones Proving to be an Able

In 1888 Thomas H. Bayly Browne, of Accomac, was elected to Congress in the First district by a majority of 414 Republic





has had experience in public life which brings success to his efforts. He has an influence with the administration that will secure to Norfolk, Portsmouth, Newport News and vicinity a continuance of appropriations of public money with which to deepen and widen their waterways, light their harbors and rivers, and erect public buildings and build ships."

The business men, working men, farmers and mechanics of Virginia are not yet ready to exchange political freedom for pelf. Better that Virginia have no boom than to enjoy it at the expense of freedom and purity of the ballot. Better that Norfolk, Portsmouth and Newport News receive no approportation from the Government than to receive them in exchange for the rights of freemen. Poverty and freedom are more to be desired than wealth and slavery to Radicalism. Virginia wants no more representatives who will follow Radicalism to the gregatest extreme in attacks upon Virginia liberties. Bowden may have a pull with the administration. That fact alone should prevent his re-election. But he cannot be defeated save by votes, and the supporters of Dr. Lawson are urged to bestir themselves with activity in the Congressional fight.

proportion of public money with which to wards you as they are now, even were we running for the saw good and sufficients?

Among those reasons were the following:

"The seating of Langston is a flagrant indignity to minety-nine of every hundred white Republicans in the Fourth Congressional district of Virginia. Even the negrees who deliberately undertook to defrand one of their own members of his justification from the Government than the support of the sufficients?

"His recent utterances in the city of Washington is enough to band the white men of the Southside and of the 'solid south' in solid phalanx. My hope is that it will have this effect. My belief is that it will have this effect, My belief is that it will have this effect, My belief is that it will have this effect. My belief is that it will have this effect. My belief is that it wil

THIRD DISTRICT.

Hon. George D. Wise Determined to Re The political outlook in this the Third

district has never been brighter. The canvass of Hon. George D. Wise has been canvass of Hon. Georgo D. Wise has been thorough and active in every particular. From his nomination to now he has teen hard at work. His speeches have been heard in New Kent and Goochland, Manchester and Richmond. He has personally visited manufactory and workshop, office and counting room, and the result of such untiring personal efforts is that there is more enthusiasm manifested in his election than has been witnessed for many years.

The passing of the Force bill by the House, the seating of Waddill and the passage of the McKinley bill has shown to the voters of this district that they must send a man to the halls of Congress who will ever be ready to take up arms against obnoxious measures Accomac, was elected to Congress in the
First district by a majority of 414 Republican votes, The white majority in the district is 3,283. In two years Mr. Browne's
Congressional career has not impressed all of his constituents very favorably. He is confronted everywhere with the following questions: Did you vote to make a quorum for the consideration of the Force bill, and if so, why? Did you vote against the Force bill, and if so, why? Did you vote against the Force bill, and if so, why? Did you vote against the Force bill, and if not, why not? It is claimed by some that the convention which renominated him did not endorse the Force bill, which is tresolutions. If they did not in resolutions they did in nominating Browne for a vote not cast against the Force bill. Was a vote cast for it? There was no middle ground. Moreover, in endorsing Republicanism, the convention and its candidate endorsed the expressions of Republicanism, the Force and Tariff bills, twin evils born of years of almost uninterrupted control of the Government of the United States, and conceived in tae desire to retain by fair means or foul the control of the administration of the affairs of this country.

No better person to meet such an enemy could have been chosen than William A. Jones, the Democratic candidate. He. is closing up a thorough and vigorous canvass of his district, and sent the circular.



HON, GEORGE D. WISE.

One man, at least, failed to see the deter The candidacy of Independent Stubbs in the district is likely to draw many votes from Browne. It is only necessary to make a change of 21s votes to elect the Democratic candidate, should as many votes be cast as in 1888. Still the Democrats are thoroughly until the polls are closed on November 4th.

SECOND DISTRICT.

One man, at least, failed to see the determination and enthusiasm of the Democratic for a few days after Wise had been nominated he came out, announcing himself as a candidate. This man is J. W. Southward. He began a can wass, but has not met with the enthusiasm that is usually meted out to a popular man. He began to see that though popular enough personally, politically he was not the man for the Republicans, and after several weeks of hobinobling with white Republicans, and brow-beating black Mahonelites, he finally concluded that Congressional assignations were not his forte, and returned

The manager of the Democratic head-quarters of the city reports the fact that the Democrate of the city are not registering for getting their transfers as rapidly as they should. Only four more days are letting their transfers as rapidly as they should. Only four more days are letting their transfers as rapidly as they should. Only four more days are letting their transfers as rapidly as they should. Only four more days are letting their transfers as rapidly as they should. Only four more days are letting their transfers as rapidly as they should. Only four more days are letting their transfers as rapidly as they should. Only four more days are letting their transfers as rapidly as they should. Only four more days are letting their transfers as rapidly as they should. Only four more days are letting their transfers as a making a still but my should be properly and they distributed the grade of the still bell to his opinion that they dill bell they dill bell to his opinion that they dill bell they dill bell to his opinion that they dill bell they are they dill bell they dill bell they dill bell they dill bell they are they are they are the dill bell they are they are they are they are the dill bell they dill bell they are the dill bell they are they are they are they are they are they are

FOURTH DISTRICT. James F. Epes Leading Against s Threatened Crisis.

"If it is courage that is wanted we will in the Sixth district. He has practically no

dreadful crisis such as that now threatening them.
"Fanatics are always furious and dangerous, and tyrants are always turbulent, oppressive and unjust. But under the providence of God, a united people, a brave, generous, wise, noble-hearted people, such as
we have, are always successful in resisting
them. The time may be long—in our case
its has been long—but sooner or later it
always comes, and it is my firm belief
that it has come now."



There is every reason to believe that Mr. Epes' conjecture will be realized, especially as the Republican committee of the district has determined not to nominate a candidate. The crises to be met is the fierce and bloodthirsty ravings of a being suddenly lifted by his peers into a position which dinot belong to him, and for which he is in every respect unfit. The white men are rallying around Mr. Epes, and their vigous campaigne augurs well of success, if organization keeps pace with enthusiasm. organization keeps pace with enthusia

FIFTH DISTRICT.

Hopes of Mr. Lester that it May Carry the Banner.
A few weeks ago Congressman Posey G. Lester said to a correspondent of the TIMES: 'The Fifth district is in better condition than for several years. The Democrats are united and harmonious. There is a growing interest among the people for the success of Democracy. Many of the Republicans are not in full sympathy with present legislation, and have signified their intention of changing position. All the countries in this district will show Democratic gains over two years are." over two years ago."

This district is well supplied with able

expounders of the doctrine, who devote their time freely when called upon, and the people respond to the call and rally around the standard as only such true Democrats can do. This district bids fair, from present lications, to be the banner district of th



Hon, Paul C. Edmunds Practically Unop posed. Hon, Paul C. Edmunds, the farmer Congressman, will have a complete walk-over

